



**ZACK SCRIVNER**  
SUPERVISOR - SECOND DISTRICT

November 15, 2018

Joshua Mahoney  
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board  
1685 E Street  
Fresno, CA 93706

Re: Comments regarding the tentative Order ("Famoso Hills Ranch Water Project") for E&B Natural Resources Management Corporation and Sherwood Hills, LLC.

Dear Mr. Mahoney:

We are writing to express our support for the project proposed by E&B Natural Resources Management Corporation (E&B) and Sherwood Hills, LLC (Sherwood).

The Famoso Hills Ranch Water Project represents an innovative solution for growing our much-needed food supply in California while preserving our precious groundwater supply.

This additional clean and reliable irrigation water supply benefits local agriculture and enhances our ability to provide food for people far beyond our borders. In addition to the environmental benefits, the applicants' project will have positive impacts on the economic well-being of the people in the Bakersfield, Kern County and surrounding communities in both jobs and tax revenues.

Thank you for considering our comments.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Zack Scrivner". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Kern County Supervisor Zack Scrivner  
Second District

cc: Amy Roth